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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on
May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination
of a utility or plant application filed on or after
June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/827,302
Filing Date	April 5, 2001
First Named Inventor	Ellis L. Kline
Group Art Unit	1651
Examiner Name	Meller, M.
Attorney Docket Number	13395-0101 (44448-256971)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may file a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Submission With Request For Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
- ii. ☒ Declaration of Dr. Ellis L. Kline
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)
for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R.
§ 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

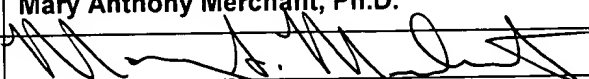
- a. ☒ Checks are enclosed for the following:
- i. ☒ \$370.00 for RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), REQUIRED when filing the RCE.
- ii. ☒ \$200.00 for a two-month Extension of Time fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17.
- b. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to
Deposit Account No. 11-0855

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED

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Re Application of:

ELLIS L. KLINE

Application No.: 09/827,302

Filed: April 5, 2001

For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS
FOR TREATING NEOPLASMS

Examiner: Meller, M.

Art Unit: 1651

SUBMISSION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Advisory Action, mailed September 19, 2002, and a telephone interview between the Examiner and Applicant's representative, Applicant herewith files a Request for Continued Examination and amended claims as discussed. Applicant requests examination in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Enclosed with the Submission are a check in the amount of \$370.00, the fee for the Request for Continued Examination, a Petition and a check for \$200.00 for the Fee for a two month Extension of Time.

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